October 21 1681

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William Boarman late high Sheriff of St Maries County prays he may be Allowed in the publick Levy one thousand pounds Tobacco for Executing William Sewick who was Condemned to be hanged for Buggery—

William Boarman

And further prays he may be Allowed for the Imprisonment of George Godfrey who was Committed to my Custody the 3d Day of August 1681 and receved his Lordships Gracious pardon 21 November foll in all 110 Days which at 20 11 of Tobacco per Day. Amounts to the Sum of 2200 " of Tobacco W Boarman.

The foregoing Paper was thus Endorsed Viz^t

Upper house November 15th 1682. Lett the Committee of Accounts take this into Consideration Signed pr Order | LL Cl of Assembly

Coll Lowe sent to the Lower house to lett them know that this house are now ready to proceed to the tryall of Iacob Young and to desire those persons appointed by the Lower house to Manage the Impeachment to come and prosecute the

Coll Lowe returns with Answer that they will attend this house immediately

Command given to the Sheriff of St Maries County to have Iacob Young his Prisoner forthwith before this house, The said Jacob is accordingly brought to the Barr

The Members of the Lower house Committees appointed to prosecute the Impeachm^t are Admitted into this house, The Speaker & the the rest of the Members of the Lower house also.

Read then the Impeachment Exhibited by the Lower house against the Prisoner and the Prisoners Answer thereunto—

Demanded of the Prisoner whether or no he hath any Witnesses ready to make Appear what in his Answer he Alledgeth he can prove—

For answer he saith he hath not any Witnesses here ready but desires that Mr Bland his Council Assigned may Speak for him, which was denyed him unless Matter of Law should arise upon tryall—

This house in Consideration that the Prisoner hath not his Witnesses ready, & that he may not be Surprized in a Case of so great Moment have thought fitt to allow further time till next Assembly for him to provide his Witnesses—

He is remanded into the Custody of the Sheriff of St Maries County there to remain till the next Assembly—

Adjourn till to Morrow Morning 8 a Clock